EDUCATIONAL EXAMINERS BOARD[282]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 272.2, the Board of Educational Examiners hereby amends Chapter 18, "Issuance of Administrator Licenses and Endorsements," Iowa Administrative Code.

This amendment updates and removes obsolete language. The Board does not offer an exchange license for those applicants completing their administrative program out of state who have deficiencies. In addition, language in subrules 18.7(3) and 18.7(4) pertaining to teacher preparation has been stricken or revised because it is not required in the administrator preparation rule.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on November 3, 2010, as **ARC 9200B**. A public hearing on the amendment was held on Wednesday, November 24, 2010. No one attended the public hearing, and no written comments were received. One minor change from the Notice has been made. The word "licensure" was changed to "license" in subrule 18.7(5).

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 272.

This amendment will become effective March 30, 2011.

The following amendment is adopted.

Amend rule 282—18.7(272) as follows:

282—18.7(272) Specific requirements for a Class A license. A nonrenewable Class A license valid for one year may be issued to an <u>individual applicant</u> who has completed an administrator preparation program under any one of the following conditions:

18.7(1) and 18.7(2) No change.

18.7(3) Recency. The individual meets the requirement(s) for a valid license, but has had fewer than 160 days of teaching experience during the five-year period immediately preceding the date of application or has not completed six semester hours of college credit from a recognized institution within the five-year period. To obtain the desired license, the applicant must complete recent credits and, where recent credits are required, these credits shall be taken in professional education or in the applicant's endorsement area(s).

18.7(4) 18.7(3) Based on an expired Iowa certificate or license, exclusive of a Class A_7 or Class B_7 Class C_7 or Class C_7 license. The holder of an expired license, exclusive of a Class C_7 or Class C_7 license, shall be eligible to receive a Class A license upon application. This license shall be endorsed for the type of service authorized by the expired license on which it is based.

18.7(5) Based on an administrative decision. The executive director is authorized to issue a Class A license to an applicant whose services are needed to fill positions in unique need circumstances.

18.7(6) 18.7(4) *Based on evaluator requirement.* The individual applicant has not completed the approved evaluator training requirement.

18.7(5) Authorization. Each Class A license shall be limited to the area(s) and level(s) of administration as determined by an analysis of the application, the transcripts, and the license or certificate held in the state in which the basic preparation for the administrator license was completed.

18.7(6) *Conversion.* Each applicant receiving the one-year Class A license must complete any identified licensure deficiencies in order to be eligible for a professional administrator license in Iowa.

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